



Great Basin Priority Summary Based on Most Recent 209's																Date: 8/27/2017	
Priority	ST	Unit	Incident	Suppression Strategy	Descriptive Location	Size	24 hr Change	%	Expected Contain	Complexity/IC	Crews Assigned		Helicopters Assigned			Critical Needs	Threats
								Contained	Date		T-1	T-2IA or 2	T-1	T-2	T-3		
New and emerging initial attack within the Great Basin																	
1	UT	UWF	Tank Hollow	Full Suppression	19 m SE of Spanish Fork, UT	4,000	+1,000	20%	10/15/17	Type 3 IC Turner	1	5	1	1	2	2-T1/T2IA Crews, T2 IMT	Major high tension powerlines, smoke hazard to traffic, major watersheds
2	WY	BTF	Pole Creek	Full Suppression	28 m SE of Afton, WY	3,036	+61	55%	9/9/17	Type 3 IMT Steffens	1	3	1	2	1	1-T1 & 1-T2IA Crews	Sage Grouse Habitat and private property
3	ID	PAF	Highline	90% Monitor 10% Pt. Zone Protection	4 m N of Chamberlain Basin, ID	29,036	+1,503	0%	10/15/17	NIMO Team Reinarz	1	1	0	0	1	IR Flight	Historic structures, residences, cabins, outbuildings
4	ID	IFD	Deer Park	Full Suppression	12 m W of Rexburg, ID	17,588	+2,879	65%	8/28/17	Type 3 IC Berkebile	1	0	1	0	1	None	Sage grouse habitat
5	ID	BOF	Bearskin	50% Pt. Zone Protection 50% Full Suppression	21 m NE of Lowman, ID	900	+650	0%	10/1/17	Type 3 IC Blom (NIMO Team ordered)	0	3	0	0	1	Continued air support	Weather station, RAWS
6	ID	SCF	Ibex	75% Monitor 25% Pt. Zone Protection	21 nm W of Challis, ID	8,250	+408	0%	10/30/17	Type 3 IC Bartel	0	2	1	0	0	Retain T2 Crew	Archaeological sites
	NV	CCD	Lyons	Full Suppression	15 m E of Carson, NV	1,856	0	90%	8/29/17	Type 3 IC Martin	0	4	0	0	0	None	Sage grouse habitat, transmission line
*** Notes of Significance *** Fires highlighted in yellow have submitted a final ICS-209																	

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Evening Brief

Date: Sunday August 27, 2017

Weather Summary

***** High Risk Near Record Heat thru Tuesday Most of the Great Basin *****

***** High Risk for Lightning over Northeast Nevada/Idaho/Northern Utah Mon-Tue *****

Strong high pressure takes hold of the Great Basin through early next week. Drier air continues to spread east across the region with low RH. Near record temperatures for the time of year are expected over much of northern Nevada/northern Utah and western Idaho from Sunday through midweek. In addition, across higher elevations, the heat and extreme dryness, will combine with an increasingly unstable atmosphere to produce very unstable Haines Indices of 5 and 6. Existing fires in dense timber could become plume dominated.

A weak upper level disturbance moves around the ridge of high pressure over northern Nevada and Western Idaho on Monday with an increase in lightning activity. At this point, these storms look predominantly dry. Thunderstorms spread further east and cover much of the eastern 2/3 of the Great Basin by Tuesday. High Risk has been issued for Northeast NV into Western ID Monday, and over Northeast NV/much of ID into northern Utah on Tuesday. Lightning will likely have a high ignition efficiency as it returns to areas where fuels are already dry, and will see near record heat and very low RH over the next few days.

High risk maybe needed for some areas of the Great Basin for Wednesday, but right now the amount of moisture is uncertain. Another concern will be locally strong west winds along and east of the Sierra Front Wednesday, combined with low humidity and on the heels of possible lightning Tuesday.

Drier air returns from west to east from Thursday into the holiday weekend.

Preparedness Levels

Great Basin	3
National	5

Great Basin Fire Activity (from Irwin): Light Activity

New Fires and Acres: 21 fires for 400.3 acres; 6,501 acres large fire growth; 0 new large fires

Resources:

- Crews: 8 T1 IHCs in GB: 6 Committed, 2 Day Off.
 - GBCC has committed an estimated 51+ Type 3, 4, 6 engines.
 - 2-T1 and 7-T2 helicopters are available in GACC.
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Great Basin Fire Potential Summary

Prolonged drier and much warmer weather will return to the Great Basin this weekend through next week rapidly drying fuels again, and resulting in holdovers in areas that received recent lightning. While some slight moderation of fuels is possible in areas that get low end wetting rains from any thunderstorms, fuels in many areas will range from normal late summer dryness, to near record levels, with the driest fuels across the mountains of Central Idaho.

We continue to have a Great Basin Fuels and Fire Behavior Advisory in effect for Nevada, Idaho and Utah, available at the following link:

https://www.predictiveservices.nifc.gov/fuels_fire-danger/GB_Fuels_and_Fire_Behavior_Advisory.pdf

Current Incident Details

Todays Activity (from WFDSS):

Incident Name	Unique Fire Identifier	Size	Status	Latitude	Longitude	Pt. Of Origin Sage Grouse Habitat
Abraham *	2017-UTRID-017485	0.1	Not Contained	39.2729	111.9604	NO
Burgess *	2017-NVHTF-030632	0.1	Controlled 08/27/17	39.59116	119.848	NO
21 U 150 *	2017-UTUWF-000921	0.1	Controlled 08/26/17	40.6215	110.9629	NO
Best Friends *	2017-UTSWS-000657	0.1	Controlled 08/26/17	37.12052	112.547	NO
Long Canyon *	2017-UTMOD-007344	3	Contained 08/27/17	37.70446	109.3636	NO
Shooting Range *	2017-NVCCD-030631	7.5	Controlled 08/27/17	39.8768	119.7302	YES
River Bottom *	2017-UTNES-000923	0.1	Controlled 08/26/17	40.52309	111.4627	NO
Kelly	2017-UTNWS-000930	0.1	Controlled 08/27/17	41.03432	111.6781	NO
Chimney	2017-NVWID-020282	5	Not Contained	41.39338	117.1747	YES
Borrow Pit	2017-UTNUC-000928	0.1	Not Contained	40.403	111.53695	NO
Old Dump	2017-IDTFD-000375	275	Not Contained	42.94433	114.951	YES
Lions Camp	2017-NVHTF-010421	0.1	Controlled 08/27/17	40.66263	115.44583	YES
Remington	2017-IDSCF-017233	5.00	Not Contained	44.72285	115.2898	NO
Tungsten	2017-NVCCD-030637	20.00	Not Contained	39.75241	117.7097	YES
Flatiron	2017-IDSTF-000374	0.10	Out 08/27/17	42.13945	114.2094	NO
Honeymoon	2017-IDSCF-017232	5.00	Not Contained	44.56872	115.4178	NO
Pelican Point	2017-UTSLD-000927	57.00	Contained 08/27/17	40.2341	111.8705	NO
BIG CANYON	2017-UTUOA-100337	0.20	Controlled 08/27/17	39.58552	109.8465	YES
STIERMAN	2017-IDSWs-000809	15.00	Not Contained	43.74862	115.9225	NO
Little Valley	2017-UTCCD-000659	1.00	Not Contained	38.10127	112.6576	YES
NORTH FACE	2017-UTUOA-100336	0.20	Not Contained	39.99911	110.7574	NO
Trappers End	2017-UTNWS-000924	0.10	Not Contained	41.09536	111.8039	NO
LITTLE FREEZEOUT	2017-IDBOD-000806	8.50	Controlled 08/27/17	43.85507	116.6549	NO

** fires occurred previous night, not previously reported*

For additional information go to: [Great Basin Coordination Center Web Site](#)